



St. John's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Congratulations to our Beacon

Pupils:

Class 1: Imogen-100% effort and perseverance in all her work.

Class 2: Rufus K-very kind, thoughtful and caring, and a positive attitude to learning.

Class 3: Joshua-grown in confidence and having a positive impact on the rest of the class.

Class 4: Paddy-a good friend to all, very thoughtful and puts lots of effort into everything.

Well done to you all.

Finer Diners

No finer diners this week.

Lion King Production

What stunning and professional performances of the Lion King the Key Stage 2 children gave on Monday and Tuesday. We were all blown away by the quality of their acting, singing and dancing—you could have thought you were at a West End theatre! In fact, one parent did ask when we were taking them on tour! We were so proud of them and how they had soldiered on through the hottest weather of the year. What was so special this year was how all the children had been part of the making of costumes, props, creating the set, choreographing the dances and taking the lead in rehearsals—a superb team effort from everyone. Thanks must also go to the staff team who made this possible for the children, and to Quantum Care who kindly sponsored

Value of the Month:

Freedom





2 Corinthians 3:17
Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.

the license for us to be able to put on this show.

Congratulations and Farewell

Many congratulations to all our Year 6 children on a fantastic hardworking last year at St John's and on their excellent SATs results!

Year 6 have been a great group of pupils and good role models to the younger children, fulfilling their roles and responsibilities in Year 6 with confidence and commitment. We are certain that every member of Year 6 is now ready to take the next step on to secondary school life feeling proud of all they have achieved in their time at St John's. All the very best for the future....and don't forget to come back and see us!

Farewell

We would like to wish Isabelle R and Esther all the very best in their new schools next year. We will miss you.

Best Wishes

We wish all St John's families a wonderful summer, and thank you for your support this year.

School returns on Monday, 5th September for all pupils and we look forward to seeing you all then.

Tea Party for Quantum Care Residents

It was lovely to see how kind and caring our children were as they helped serve tea and cake to the elderly residents from Quantum Care who had been invited to our dress rehearsal on Monday. Year 6 children volunteered to stay after the performance to chat and serve the elderly. They did so with such great charm and sensitivity. Thank you so much children for this special time. The residents thoroughly enjoyed both the play and your company, along with the delightful songs from Classes 1 and 2.

Clubs

Clubs will start week commencing 12th September. If you have returned the reply slip, your child has been allocated a place in their chosen clubs.

DIY Day—Saturday, 24th September

Thank you to everyone who has offered to help on our DIY Day. More details to follow at the beginning of September.

Big Friendly Read

The summer reading challenge was introduced to children in assembly on Tuesday. Please see details of the challenges and rewards on www.bigfriendlyread.org.uk.

It would be lovely if as many children as possible could take part in this free event.

Hertfordshire Road Safety

Partnership Day

This event is being held on Sunday, 4th September from 12.30-4.00 pm at County Hall in Hertford. The day will encompass serious issues alongside fun activities. Many attractions include an interactive crash car, bouncy castles, opportunities to sit in fire engines/police cars, plus delicious

food stalls and much more! All profits raised will go to Hertfordshire Air Ambulance.

LSA NEWS

Please keep an eye on the whiteboard, outside ASK, for any LSA messages and information on

Dates for your diary:

- ☺ INSET Days—Thursday, 1st and Friday, 2nd September.
- ☺ First day of Autumn Term for children—Monday, 5th September.
- ☺ Class 3 swimming starts—Wednesday, 14th September.
- ☺ Half term holiday—26th—30th October.